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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants - MA&UD Department - Certain allegations of Unauthorized construction of 4 buildings and violation of building rules by certain builders as well as concerned officials of Tenali municipality– Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri P. Venkateswara Rao, the then TPO, Tenali Municipality – Enquiry Conducted – Imposing a minor penalty of withholding of one Annual Grade Increment without cumulative effect – Orders – Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 60

Dated:08 .02.2022.

Read the following:

1. From the DG., G.A. (V&E) Dept. V.R.No.56 (2882/V&E/D1/2006), dated.30.04.2007.
2. From DTCP, AP, Guntur , Lr.No.9670/2007/V.Cell,dt.30.11.2007.
3. G.O.Rt.No.336, MA&UD (E1) Department, dt.01.03.2008.
4. G.O.Rt.No.544 & 545, MA&UD(VIG.II) Dept., dt.03.09.2019.
5. Enquiry Report of the Enquiry Officer, Lr. Roc.No.9670/2007/V.Cell, dt.28.07.2021 of DTCP
6. Govt.Memo.No.18528/VIG.II/2007, dt.28.09.2021.
7. Written representation of Sri P. Venkateswara Rao, the then TPO, Tenali Municipality, dt.Nil (Received through DTCP,Lr.Roc.No.9670/2007/V.Cell, dt.29.12.2021)

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ORDER:

Based on the Report of G.A. (V&E) Department vide reference 1st read above, on the allegations of unauthorized construction of four buildings in Tenali Town, Guntur District for violating buildings rules and their negligence / connivance in discharging their duties and not adhering to the instructions issued in G.O.Ms.No.423, MA & UD Dept., dt.31.07.1998, Government decided to initiate disciplinary action against Sri P. Venkateswara Rao, the then TPO., and others of Tenali Municipality.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Director of Town and Country Planning , AP, Guntur furnished articles of charges against Sri P. Venkateswara Rao, the then TPO, Tenali Municipality, Guntur District in connection with Unauthorized construction of 4 buildings and violation of building rules. Accordingly, charges have been issued vide reference 3rd read above.

3. Subsequently, vide reference 4th read above, Government appointed Smt. K.Himabindu, Deputy Director, APCRDA, Vijayawada as an Inquiry Officer

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and the Town Planning Officer, Tenali Municipality as Presenting Officer to enquire into the charges framed against Sri P. Venkateswara Rao, the then TPO and others of Tenali Municipality.

4. The Inquiry Authority conducted enquiry into the charges framed against the said charged officer and submitted her report, vide reference 5th read above.

5. In the reference 6th read above, a copy of enquiry report was communicated to the charged officer Sri P. Venkateswara Rao, the then TPO and others of Tenali Municipality with a direction to submit their written representation if any, on the findings of the Enquiry Officer in terms of Rule 21 (2) of APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991 and the charged officer submitted his written representation vide reference 7th cited.

6. Governmnent have examined the written reperesentaion of the charged officer and observed that there are no merits and valid points and found that the findngs of Inquiry Officer holds good.

7. Government after careful examination of the matter; keeping in view of the findings of Inquiry Authority, hereby impose a penalty of withholding of one Annual Grade Increment without cumulative effect against Sri P. Venkateswara Rao, the then TPO, Tenali Municipality, Guntur District in terms of Rule-9 of APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991.

8. The Director of Town & Country Planning, A.P, Guntur shall take necessary action in the matter, accordingly.

9. The receipt of the G.O., shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Y. SRILAKSHMI
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri P. Venkateswara Rao, the then TPO, Tenali Municipality
- **through** the DT&CP., A.P., Guntur.
The Director of Town and Country Planning, A.P.,Mangalagiri.

Copy to:
The Secretary to APVC, 5th building, AP Secretariat, Velagapudi.
The Accountant General, A.P.,Vijayawada.
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SECTION OFFICER